



PRESS RELEASE

FILE: 22-6301
INCIDENT: Homicide – Shooting
DATE OF INCIDENT: September 4, 2022
TIME OF INCIDENT: 11:49 PM
LOCATION: Macaulay Street near West 14TH Street (Residential)
VICTIM(S): Anthony Westbrook (17-years-old male, Antioch resident)
SUSPECT(S): Anthony McCoy (20-year-old male, Brentwood resident)

UPDATE:

On February 28, 2023, at approximately 5:45 am, the Antioch Police Department Violent Crimes Unit, Special Weapons and Tactics (SWAT) Team, and the United States Marshals Service served a search warrant at a residence in the 2400 block of Shady Willow Lane in Brentwood.

Anthony McCoy (20-year-old, Brentwood resident) was arrested for the murder of Anthony Westbrook (17-year-old male, Antioch resident) that occurred on September 4, 2022, in the 1100 block of Macauley Street in Antioch. A Glock .40 caliber handgun was located in the residence during the search warrant, which matched the caliber that was located at the scene of the homicide.

McCoy was booked into the Martinez Detention Facility for murder and this case will be presented to the Contra Costa District Attorney's Office for prosecution. The members of the Antioch Police Department extend their deepest condolences to the family and friends of Anthony Westbrook.

We want to thank the United States Marshals Service for their assistance while taking McCoy into custody. Anyone with information about the case is asked to call Detective Gerber at 925-779-6943 or email him at rgerber@antiochca.gov. You may also text-a-tip to 274637 (CRIMES) using the key word ANTIOCH.

Media Note: Any further inquiries into the status of this case should be done through the Public Information Officer at the information below.

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ORIGINAL MEDIA RELEASE:

On 9/4/22, at approximately 11:49 PM, Antioch police officers responded to the report of gunshots fired in the 1100 block of Macaulay Street. It was also reported that one person had been shot.

Numerous officers responded to the scene. When officers arrived, they located one male victim near the front yard of a residence suffering from at least one gunshot wound. Evidence at the scene indicated the incident occurred outdoors in a drive-by style shooting. Officers immediately began administering first aid and called for emergency fire department and AMR paramedics.

Unfortunately, the victim succumbed to his injuries at the scene, and he was pronounced deceased. The suspect vehicle fled the scene and has not been contacted.

Antioch Police Department's Investigations Bureau, consisting of Crime Scene Investigators and detectives with the Violent Crimes Unit, responded to the scene and took over the investigation.

Currently, detectives are interviewing witnesses and working to identify any suspects or persons-of-interest. The investigation is still active, and evidence is being collected.

This information is made available by the Investigations Bureau. Any further inquiries into the status of this case should be done via the Media Access Telephone Line 925-779-6874. Any further information or additional press releases will be provided by the Investigations Bureau.

Anyone with information is asked to call the Antioch Police Department non-emergency line at (925)778-2441, or Detective Gerber at 925-779-6943. You may also text-a-tip to 274637 (CRIMES) using the key word ANTIOCH.

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